

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Charles W. Mitchell et al.

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TEMPERATURE SENSOR ON AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

This paper is responsive to the Final Office Action dated May 19, 2003, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire August 19, 2003. The Applicant respectfully requests the Office to consider the arguments presented below, and to allow all claims pending in the application being presently considered.

In light of the Amendments and/or Remarks presented herein, further examination is requested.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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